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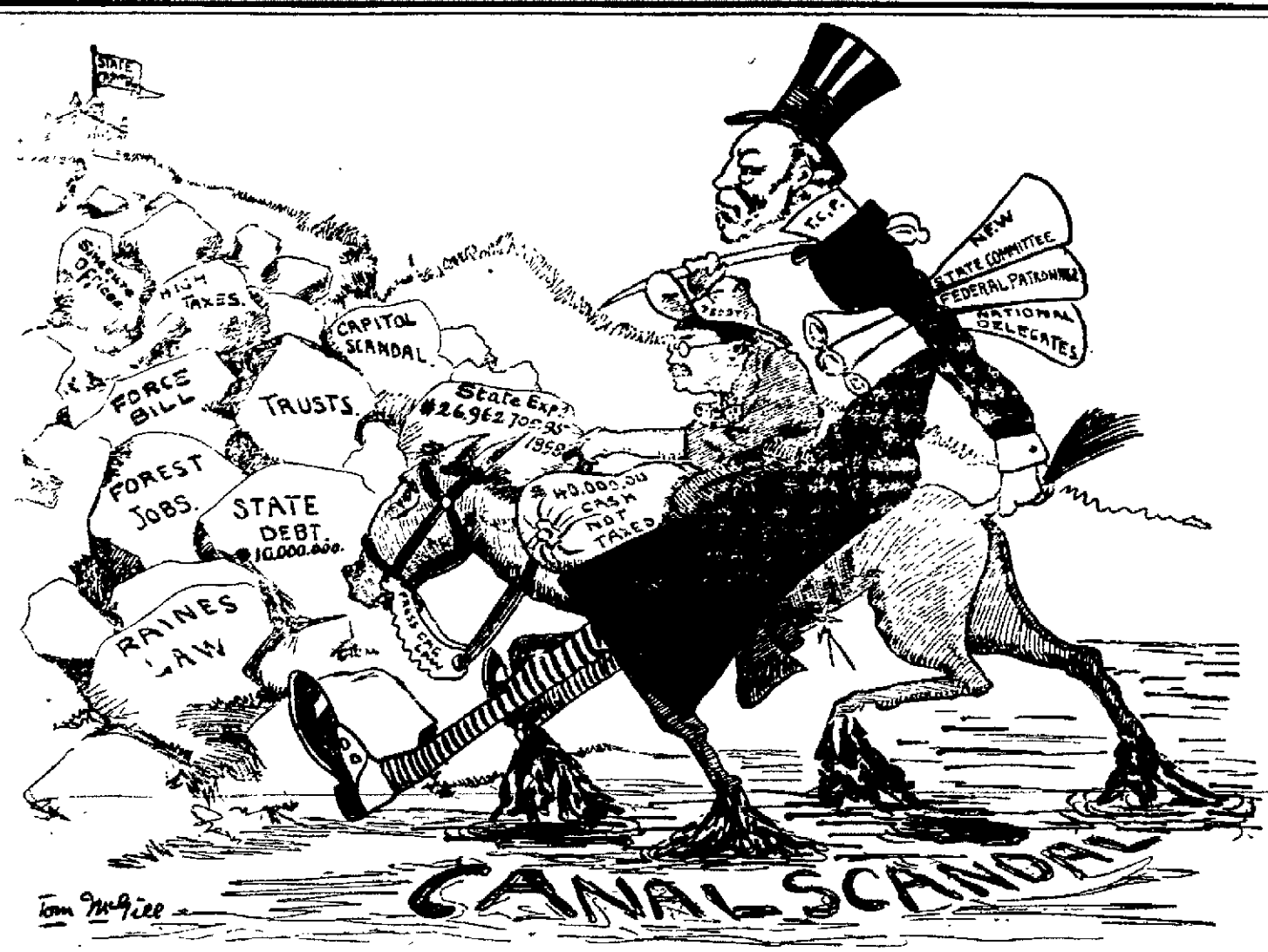
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TEDDY.----"Tom, this road is even rougher than it was in 1881, when you were known as 'Me Too.'"

M. BRISSON RESIGNS.

French Ministry Defeated In the Chamber.

PARIS IN A STATE OF ANARCHY.

Members of Deroulede's League and Orleanists Parade the Streets and Destroy Property—"Days of Boulanger Returning."

PARIS, Oct. 26.—Premier Brisson met defeat in the chamber of deputies yesterday afternoon as the culmination of a stormy session which had opened with the resignation of General Chanoiné minister of war.

The session of the chamber of deputies had no sooner opened than M. Deroulede made a violent attack upon the minister of war. General Chanoiné whereupon the latter arose and explained the conditions under which he accepted the portfolio. In so doing he declared that he was of the same opinion as his predecessor, evidently referring to the question of the Dreyfus case, a remark which was greeted with cheers and protests, the uproar lasting five minutes.

When General Chanoiné was able to resume speaking, he asserted that he was the guardian of the honor of the army and concluded with saying angrily:

"I place in your hands the trust I received, and I tender my resignation in this tribune."

The announcement was received with loud cheering.

General Chanoiné then left the chamber of deputies, and the premier, M.

was demanded. Later this showed that the government was defeated by a majority of 40.

After the result of the scrutiny had been announced, M. Bertheaux moved a vote of confidence in M. Brisson, which was rejected by a vote of 286 to 254.

When this vote was declared, the ministers left the chamber.

M. Brisson immediately went to the palace and laid the resignation of the ministry before M. Faure.

After M. Brisson accepted M. Ribot's motion, earlier in the session, several of the deputies attempted to speak, but their voices were drowned in the uproar which filled the chamber.

After the ministers had withdrawn, the chamber adopted, amid cries of "Down with the Jews!" the order of the day, combining the motions of M. Ribot and M. De Mahy, by a vote of 460 to 23.

A fresh tumult was aroused by the declaration of M. De Baudry d'Asson, deputy for the arrondissement of Les Sables d'Olonne, in the department of Vendee, that all the ministers except Chanoiné ought to be impeached.

The chamber adjourned to Nov. 4. It is the general impression among deputies that President Faure will invite M. Alexandre Ribot to form a cabinet.

Last evening detachments of municipal guards, cuirassiers and police were massed at the various approaches to the palace of the Elysee for fear of disturbances. M. Brisson went to the Elysee at 7 o'clock.

President Faure signed the appointment of M. Lockroy, minister of marine in the retiring cabinet, as minister of war ad interim.

When accepting the resignation of the ministry, M. Faure begged M. Brisson and his colleagues to continue to act until the formation of the new cabinet.

General Chanoiné is the fifth minister of war who has declared himself absolutely convinced of the guilt of Dreyfus and the third who has resigned on that account. His totally inexplicable and unexpected action was certainly the chief sensation in a day of sensational events. He dealt a veritable coup de jarnac to the cabinet and precipitated a new struggle between the military and civil authorities.

Yesterday was the first time General Chanoiné ever sat on the ministerial bench, and his colleagues, knowing that he was unaccustomed to the tricks of oratorical effects, such as M. Deroulede indulged in, tried vainly to prevent him ascending the tribune. He spoke briefly, with painful incoherence, and then literally bolted from the chamber.

The scenes that followed were almost indescribable. When M. Brisson appeared in the tribune, he was received with insults and imprecations from all sides, but he stood his ground calmly.

A lady who was leaving the gallery after the adjournment on being asked by a deputy how she enjoyed it all replied: "Immensely. Wasn't it delicious? So much better than the Comedie Francaise."

"Yes," replied the deputy, "and this is only the beginning."

About 10 o'clock last night a band of youthful Royalists formed in front of the Military club and after cheering for the army marched, preceded by the tricolors, toward the offices of the Soleil and the Gaulois, singing "We Need Gamelle—We Must Have Gamelle."

Gamelle is a nickname of the Duke of Orleans, and the reference was to the story that the duke, when entering the army, expressed the desire to eat from the gamelle, or soup bowl, of a private.

On arriving at the Boulevard this demonstration, which had grown to several thousands, met a rival Republican demonstration. A violent collision took place, and the Republicans captured the Royalists' flag, which increased the tumult.

About midnight last night a mob of members of the Patriotic League smashed the windows and glass staircase of a shop whose owner is said to be a Jew at the corner of the Rue Auber and the Rue Serthe.

The vigilance committee of the Socialist party has issued a manifesto condemning the action of General Chanoiné and denouncing the "make be-

lieve Republicans who have strangled debate in the chamber and created a crisis." The committee has decided to organize all the Socialists and revolutionary Republican forces in the country against "military and clerical reaction."

M. Faure received no statesmen last night, but he consulted this morning with the presidents of the senate and the chamber of deputies.

The French cabinet which has just resigned was definitely formed on June 23 of the present year and was constituted as follows:

President of the Council and Minister of the Interior—M. Henri Brisson.

Minister of Finance—M. Paul Peytral.

Minister of Education—M. Leon Bourgeois.

Minister of Justice—M. Ferdinand Sarrien.

Minister of War—M. Godefroy Cavaignac, who has since been succeeded by General Zurlinden and General Chanoiné.

Minister of Marine—M. Edouard Simon Lockroy.

Minister of Foreign Affairs—M. Theophile Delcasse.

Minister of the Colonies—M. Georges Trouillot.

Minister of Commerce—M. Emile Maruejols.

Minister of Agriculture—M. Albert Viger, who has since resigned.

Minister of Public Works—Senator Tillaye, who was succeeded by Senator Godin on Sept. 17.

"Days of Boulanger Returning."

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Paris correspondent of The Times says:

"The days of Boulanger are returning, without a Floquet to draw the sword against a factious general and without a Constant to make him cross the frontier."

"The cabinet has been overturned on a mere pretext, because bands of people, collected by those defying authority while pretending to defend it, have fomented agitation and almost terror. In the Rue Royale the rioters tried to overturn a carriage containing three Americans amid cries of 'Down with the Jews.'"

"Evidently the taste for street demonstrations is reviving, and perhaps on Thursday, when the court of cassation will meet, there will be a renewal of the uproar."

"It looks as though M. Brisson gave up in disgust a position which yielded him neither pleasure nor greatness. Nobody has any idea who will succeed him unless perhaps M. Faure knows, for he is alleged to have instigated the overthrow of the cabinet."

Temps Says France Will Leave.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—M. de Pressense, editor of the Paris Temps, writes to The Chronicle that it is the settled intention of the French government, with the perfect assent of the French people, to evacuate Fashoda. Major Marchand will be recalled by way of the Nile, accepting the friendly offices of the British and Egyptian governments. The Chronicle says it has reason to believe that M. de Pressense writes with direct authority.

Suicide of a Bank President.

CORNING, N. Y., Oct. 26.—David B. Winton, president of the Bank of Addison, N. Y., committed suicide last night by cutting his throat with a razor. He had been ill for some time and was shaving preparatory to going to the sanitarium when he committed the act. Dependancy on account of his illness seems to have been the only cause for the suicide. Mr. Winton was 60 years old and leaves a family.

Knuds Attack Professor Bick.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Constantinople correspondent of The Times says that a body of Knuds have fired upon and seriously wounded the well known German anarchist, Professor Bick, while conducting his explorations in the Spandagh district.

SPAIN MAKES A PROTEST.

Subjects to the Oregon and Iowa Going to Manila.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—It has become known that the Spanish government has made a protest to the United States against the action of the navy department in sending the battleships Oregon and Iowa to Manila. This protest was presented through the Spanish embassy in Washington, the only channel of diplomatic communication between this country and Spain. No answer has yet been returned to the protest by this government, but it is certain that the intention of sending the two powerful armorclads to augment Dewey's fleet will not be abandoned. From all that can be learned it is evident that the protest was presented during the absence of President McKinley in the west, for Secretary Hay requested that he should hold the matter until he had the opportunity of consulting the president before submitting the American reply.

The ground on which Spain based the protest was that the sending of the battleships to Manila was a violation of the spirit of the peace protocol, which contemplated the maintenance of the status quo and tacitly forbade either party to the agreement to augment its forces in the Philippines pending an agreement embodied in the treaty of peace to be signed in Paris.

ULTIMATUM TO SPAIN.

Rico Telegraphs to Madrid That America Will Concede Nothing.

MADRID, Oct. 26, via Biarritz.—The news that a virtual ultimatum was delivered Monday by the American peace commissioners has been received from Senor Montero Rios.

Senor Montero Rios telegraphs that the Americans decline to discuss the two principal articles of the protocol concerning Cuba and Porto Rico and absolutely refuse to meet Spain's claims. He telegraphs further that the ministerial crisis in Madrid has badly impressed the American commissioners. He thinks that if the crisis extends to the whole cabinet and Senor Sagasta resigns the Americans will resign, too, and end the peace negotiations. Senor Montero Rios and the government are in an extremely difficult position.

Senor Puigcerver, minister of finance, requires a new loan from the Bank of Spain to meet the indispensable cost of the repatriation of the Spanish troops.

General Corres, in view of the crucial situation, has visited the queen regent and agreed to withdraw his resignation.

Landing Place For Our Cuban Army.

HAVANA, Oct. 26.—The Playa Mariana (Mariano beach) having been definitely selected as the temporary landing place for the United States troops, the transportation commission is now waiting orders from Washington to begin the work of preparation. Captain Joseph Crawford of the Pennsylvania railroad will have charge of the construction of the wharf and piers, which he estimates will be ready in the course of five or six days. While Mariano will be the temporary landing place for the incoming troops, a permanent location has been selected elsewhere, but the transportation commission declines to divulge the exact site until the choice has been ratified at Washington.

Roosevelt In Buffalo.

BUFFALO, Oct. 26.—Colonel Roosevelt arrived here at 4:30 yesterday afternoon after a successful trip through the central part of the state. He was given an enthusiastic reception on his arrival here. Last night he spoke in Music hall to an audience of over 5,000. At this meeting Colonel Roosevelt referred to the national guard and the volunteer soldiers, touching briefly upon his letter to Secretary Alger, in which was made the comparison between the national guard and his command of Rough Riders. He said, "After some experience in actual warfare I think I considerably understated the case when I said that one high power, smokeless powder, repeating rifle was worth at least three low power, black powder, old style single shot rifles."

Captain Blaine Discharged.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—An order was issued last night by the war department relieving from further duty in the volunteer army James G. Blaine as captain and assistant adjutant general. Having seen service without the limits of the United States, Captain Blaine is granted a leave of absence for 60 days from this date, at the expiration of which he will be mustered out of the service.

A Mother Kills Her Child.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 26.—A Miss Beaton, aged 16 years, mother of a child of 4 months, killed the child by dashing out its brains against a rock at South Dover. She then secreted it under a stone. On being questioned she confessed the facts. She is under arrest.

The Botkin Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Chief of Police Lees and Detective McVey, representative of the state of Delaware, have appealed to the postal authorities to take some action in the matter of the extradition of Mrs. Cordelia Botkin, accused of murdering Mrs. John P. Dunning and her sister, Mrs. Joshua Deane, of Dover, Del., by means of poisoned chocolates sent through the mails. The postal authorities have promised to look up the law in the matter.

Knights Templar at Geneva.

GENEVA, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The grand parade of the grand commandery of Knights Templars came up to the full expectation of the some 25,000 people in this city yesterday. The parade was nearly two miles long, and it took an hour and a quarter for it to pass the reviewing stand. There were 15 bands, 2 drum corps and 19 commanderies in the parade. All were in full uniform and presented a most picturesque appearance.

THE SEWERS OF TRUTH.

"What do you want me to do? Get down in the sewer with these sensational people? They are not worrying me. There is nothing to the charges excepting somebody's desire to make political capital."—Speech of Secretary of War Alger.

The newspapers which Secretary Alger declares to be mere sewers of false statement and criticism, and which have been moved to accuse and criticise from such base political motives as are quite familiar to himself, are most fully and accurately represented by the following public journals in the state of New York:

Harper's Weekly,
Leslie's Weekly,
Collier's Weekly,
The Nation,
The Review of Reviews,
The Independent,
The Journal of Commerce,
The Economist,
The Sun,
The Financial News,
Staats-Zeitung,
The Herald,
The Army and Navy Register,
The Times,
The Press,
The Mail and Express,
The Commercial Advertiser,
The Freeman's Journal,
The Medical Record,
The Evening Post.

The New York Herald, which has never been accused of Democratic tendencies, uses strong language in discussing Algerism. Referring to the condition of some of the soldiers from New York, on their return recently The Herald says:

"Had they come back to us reduced to such a state by the wounds of a foreign foe, there would be a thrill of pride to assuage our grief, a feeling of exultation in what they had dared and endured for the flag we love. But when the American people think of those gone down to death and these others tortured and physically wrecked—many like the Elgath, who had never left our own kindly soil—uselessly, needlessly the victims of job and rob politicians and contractors and of criminally incompetent and heartlessly indifferent officials, there comes a sob in the throat, a suggestive clutching of the fingers, and a light in the eyes that bodes ill for the guilty ones when the responsibility shall be fixed."

A terrible episode has occurred in the history of this country—an episode so criminal that the glory of war and victory has been dimmed by the wrath caused by the wrongs and sufferings of the soldiers who have fought the war and achieved the glory. We see men starved and fever-stricken because their government has not the capacity to take care of them, and even seems indifferent to their sufferings. If the people of this country permit this scandal to find a grave before some one is punished, they will thereby make themselves accomplices of the crime.—Harper's Weekly, Sept. 1898.

Increased Revenue.

◆ In 1894 the State treasury received \$3,485,595.07 from indirect taxes collected from corporations, inheritances and excise.
◆ In 1897, the receipts from the same source was \$3,030,228.66.
◆ The tax-rate in 1894 was 2.18.
◆ In 1897 the rate was 2.67, besides a State debt of \$9,000,000 created.

National Issues Not Involved.

A small editorial straw cast upon the wind by the New York Tribune a day or two ago would seem to be significant. Whether the Tribune really wants Roosevelt elected or not we are in no position to say, at least with sure authority, but when we see a great party organ pleading for the party nominee on the ground that the Spaniards will be "encouraged" by his defeat in a purely local election, the inference that the nominee is in difficulties seems unavoidable. That an argument so transparently absurd will influence the action of any intelligent voter is hardly credible. A citizen who is benighted enough to believe that any international issues are involved in the New York contest may be persuaded perhaps, and it follows naturally that such a citizen will assume, also, that Roosevelt represents all the patriotic virtue in the state. But how many men we wonder, are feeble-minded enough to accept a proposition so silly and post-posterous?—Washington, D. C. Post (Ind.) Oct. 19.

Cost State Government.

Gov. Flower, 1893.....\$17,367,337.95
Gov. Black, 1897.....26,062,703.92

An immense injustice has been done in making the patriotic desire to serve the nation lead to starvation, invalidism and the channel house—not alone in Cuba and other tropical regions, but within the fruitful borders of the United States. The granary of the world did not suffice to feed its own soldiers right at home. Is no one to blame for this? To say so is to insult the meanest intelligence, and no system is worth keeping that requires such defense as that—Springfield Republican.

It is difficult to see how an intelligent man, who is not so biased by his partisanship that he will vote his party ticket even if he knows he is in the wrong, can support Theodore Roosevelt for Governor. For ignoring the fact that a vote for Roosevelt is practically an endorsement of the canal steal, and of Platt and his methods, he is still confronted with the undeniable facts that Roosevelt, by education, temperament and experience is unfitted to be Governor.—Cherry Valley Gazette.

FRAUDS ENDORSED.

THE PRESENT STATE ENGINEER'S METHODS TO PREVAIL.

If Roosevelt is Elected Governor—No Reward Paid for the People's Interest in the Improvement of the Canals Under the \$9,000,000 Act.

Stuart L. Woodford, disappointed Republican candidate for nomination as Governor, presiding genius at Republican meetings and dinners said from the platform of Carnegie Hall the other day:

"There has been mismanagement in the canal of New York."

The Republican State Convention at Saratoga endorsed the State administration in toto, including the management of the Canal Improvement and the frauds thereof.

Theodore Roosevelt joined in this hearty endorsement of the Canal thieves. In his address of acceptance he said:

"The record made by the Republican administration in the State of New York is a guarantee that upon all questions affecting the property rights and interests and liberty of all citizens, the Republican party can be safely trusted."

Theodore Roosevelt knew at the time he gave this endorsement that the management of the \$9,000,000 Canal Improvement was bad, was dishonest, was honeycombed with fraud and corruption. He had been told so by reputable members of his own party, by the most prominent newspapers of his own party.

Can he be trusted to punish the canal robbers who to-day are fighting for him tooth and nail, in fear of Democratic retribution?

Can the Republican candidate for Attorney-General, a member through this same Republican administration of the Attorney-General's staff who have seen the people's money go to waste without lifting a finger to prevent it, be trusted to stop further pillage?

To get down to a specific instance does any one suppose that either of these gentlemen would, if elected, after their endorsement of Black and his administration, after polling for themselves the votes of the very parties interested, interfere with the wrongful taking of fifty thousand dollars in one item on contract No. 1 Middle Division?

On this contract over 85,000 cubic yards of material was excavated, hauled and thrown away on State ground, and sixty cents per cubic yard added illegally to the price paid the contractors for excavating it, through a plainly unwarranted construction of the specifications governing the contract.

The sixty cents so added was the price for embankment so called, embankment being material used in construction of walls or banks.

The specifications provided that "embankment will be paid for in place on completion, but only such embankment as is made from materials necessarily unloaded from scows, or necessarily hauled more than one thousand feet will be paid for as embankment."

They also provided that "when sufficient available space for spoils banks is not already included within the blue lines, the State will furnish such necessary space without cost to the contractor, but the right is reserved to require such surplus materials to be placed at any point outside of the limits of the blue lines as the engineer may direct, provided the average haul in such case shall not exceed one thousand feet."

This material was not used as embankment, but was hauled outside the blue line or canal boundary and thrown away.

Such an interpretation as the State Engineer put upon this contract was unwarranted and unheard of, no court would have sustained it and it resulted in putting a very large sum of money in the contractors' pockets, without rectification, and was robbery and pillage of State funds.

But such was the construction put upon these specifications on all contracts where the question arose; no regard paid to what would be a reasonable compensation in case the contractor had to haul over 1,000 feet before reaching the dumping ground, no thought of the State interest; but the full embankment price was fully, freely and perhaps even gladly given in each instance.

But such practice, and other practices equally unmeritorious are endorsed by Theodore Roosevelt in his utterances to the people whose money has been taken and whose votes he hopes to secure.

What Will Democrats Do.

Mr. Roosevelt in his hysterical speech at Ogdensburg cried, "What will the Democrats do to get money? They will have to make the farmer, the business man the mechanic, the workman pay, somehow, the nine or ten mill ins now received from the Raines Law license." While Mr. Roosevelt mistakes the license receipts which have never exceeded \$4,000,000 under the Raines Law, he forgets that State taxes have been doubled under Republican administration and the Raines Law revenue is not enough to meet the cost of new offices and Republican maladministration. When Judge Van Wyck is elected, State taxes will be reduced, padded payrolls cease, new offices created the past three years requiring \$1,250,000 for salaries and expenses will be done away with. Canal steals stopped and the State restored to economical government which was the case in 1893 when \$15,000,000 paid all State expenses. The indirect revenues of the State are sufficient under a wise and honest administration of affairs to do away with all State taxation at the time, and will be the case when Judge Van Wyck becomes the executive of the State. Double taxation and State debt have accompanied the Raines Law.

TIM WOODRUFF.

The Head of the Canal Board Speaks on State Issues.

Republican candidates and speakers, when they feel that the interests of imperialism and expansion permit it, are very fond of touching on state issues.

Timothy L. Woodruff, Republican orator, Lieutenant Governor and head of the Canal Board, which approved the plans of the \$9,000,000 canal improvement, and extended a score of contracts, admitting large claims for damages, now candidate to succeed himself, and Mr. Roosevelt's right bower in the charge up Capitol Hill, assures the public that he does not shrink from a consideration of the canal question. So far from shrinking, he plunged into it at Carnegie Hall the other day, head over heels.

He said that the work of the improvement had been "carried out by contract awarded to the lowest bidders, as the law provided."

The constitution of the state of New York provides that:

"All contracts for work or materials on any canal shall be made with the person who shall offer to do or provide the same at the lowest price, with adequate security for their performance. No extra compensation shall be made to any contractor; but if from any unforeseen cause, the terms of any contract shall prove to be unjust and oppressive, the Canal Board may, upon the application of the contractor, cancel such contract."

How about contract No. 1, Middle Division, with over \$30,000 of work under special agreements, approved by the Canal Board, and Mr. Woodruff in violation of law without any letting at all?

How about No. 4, Middle Division, with over \$150,000 worth of extra work done under special agreements without letting, in violation of the constitution?

How about the same contract, increased from an original price of \$156,000 to over \$530,000, principally under the guise of increasing the quantities, abandoning the contract as it was let originally and carrying it on practically by day work, all in violation of law?

How about contract No. 1, Middle Division, increased from \$428,000 to \$636,000 in much the same way, with \$40,000 of special agreement work in direct violation of the constitution?

How about nearly one million dollars spent on special agreements without letting, in violation of law, to say nothing about the special work brought under the contract prices subterfuge?

How about nominal quantities inserted in the bidding sheets, ostensibly to obtain prices, really allowing knowing and well-informed contractors to bid high on small quantities, only slightly increasing the total amount bid, thus obtaining high prices, by which the state is mulcted in thousands through subsequently increasing quantities?

How about letting contracts without publishing bids, an innovation introduced on the improvement work, making fraud not only possible, but practically undiscoverable?

These are not fair tales, but unvarnished facts, and only a few amongst the many items of roguery and mismanagement set out in the canal investigating commission's report, of which Mr. Woodruff said that it did not contain a statement or even an insinuation that fraud had been perpetrated or a dishonest act committed.

It might be well for Mr. Woodruff to shrink a little next time and confine his oratory to national issues.

Costly Law Advice.

During the fiscal year 1893 the Attorney-General's office under Attorney-General Tabor, Democrat, cost \$36,121.45. The same office under Attorney-General Hancock, Republican, cost in 1897, \$74,077.51. In addition a half-hundred of lawyers are employed by the State as special counsel to asylums and other institutions at salaries of \$1,200 to \$4,000 per year, none of which were employed in 1893. These men draw \$20,000 from the State treasury. The people will know them in their localities as Platt's henchmen. Here they are:

James S. Sherman, of Ulster, Republican congressman; to S. S. Partidge, of Phelps, Ontario county, one of Senator John Raines' men and a Platt machine cog; to H. M. Taylor, of Poughkeepsie, a leader in Dutchess county's Republican ring; to John B. Swezey, of Goshen, Orange county, a Republican organization leader; to John E. Pound, of Lockport, a brother of ex-Senator Cuthbert Pound; to George R. Malby, of St. Lawrence county, a Republican senator when the bill was passed; to Speaker James M. E. O'Grady, the present Republican candidate for congress in the Monroe district, and speaker when the bill was brooked; to Marcus B. Campbell, of Brooklyn, secretary of the Republican committee of Kings county; to ex-Assemblyman George C. Austin, who was chairman of the cities committee of the assembly, and one of the leaders of the lower house when the bill went through.

The Raines Law department at Albany pays about \$10,000 each year for attorneys to aid the special agents and spies of the department. Senator Nussbaum, of Albany, Senator Stranahan, of Fulton, ex-Assemblyman Louis Bell, of Orange, Assemblyman Otto Colsey, of Livingston and others receive the favor of the excise department, without loss to their private practice. The Adirondack Park Commission also paid out last year about \$6,000 for legal expenses, these attorneys sharing in the favor: Assemblyman Wagstaff, of Kings, Assemblyman Allds, of Chenango, and Assemblyman Armstrong, of Monroe. During the last Democratic administration in the State these special attorneys were unknown.

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Silk finished, in choice combinations and colors; there is not a prettier line of dress goods being shown in this city for less than 39c. At Tompkins' sale 18c per yard.

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SALE OF LADIES' JACKETS AND CAPES.

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AT 25c EACH, ladies' very heavy ribbed Underwear. Men's white Merino Underwear—Men's grey double-breasted Undershirts and Drawers to match, all at 25c each, actual value 35c.

AT 35c EACH, Ladies' 50c Ribbed Underwear. Men's 60c white or grey Merino Underwear, and Men's 60c 2-seed lined Underwear, all at 35c each.

AT 70c EACH, Ladies' and Men's grey camel hair Underwear, worth \$1. AT 81c EACH, Men's double-breasted camel hair Shirts and Drawers to match. Ladies' white lamb's wool or grey camel hair Underwear, all worth \$1.35 each, at sale \$1.

AT 10c EACH, Men's grey Underwear, all sizes, worth 25c to 35c each.

AT 10c EACH, Babies' Shirts, buttoned all the way down.

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SOX 5/8c a pair, worth 7c. SOX 5/8c a pair, worth 10c. CHILD'S WOOL HOSE, 25c value, at sale 15c per pair.

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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 26.—Rain and colder to-night; Thursday, much colder with rain turning to snow, followed in the afternoon by clearing; southerly shifting to northerly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Middletown, Oct. 26:
7 a. m., 69°; 12 m., 63°; 3 p. m., 63°.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Oct. 26—"McFadden's Row of Flats," at Casino.
—Oct. 26—"Donation Day at Thrall Hospital."
—Oct. 26—"Shore Acres," at Casino.
—Nov. 2—"Printers' masquerade ball," at Assembly Rooms.



DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

STATE.

For Governor, AUGUSTUS VAN DYCK, of Kings.
For Lieutenant-Governor, ELLIOT DANFORTH, of Chenango.
For Secretary of State, GEORGE W. BATTEN, of Niagara.
For Controller, EDWARD S. ATWATER, of Dutchess.
For Treasurer, ELLIOTT B. NORRIS, of Wayne.
For Attorney-General, THOMAS F. CONWAY, of Clinton.
For Engineer and Surveyor, MARTIN SCHENCK, of Rensselaer.
For Justice of the Supreme Court, ALBERT F. JENKS, of Kings county.
For State Senator, WILLIAM QUAD, of Newburgh.
For Member of Assembly (First District), JOHN E. WARD, of Grawford.
For Member of Assembly (Second District), DANIEL F. SCHULTZ, of Fort Jervis.
For Representative in Congress, SAMUEL D. ROBERTSON, of Orange.
For County Treasurer, EDWARD STOCKER, of Newburgh.
For Special Surrogate, J. FLOYD HALSTEAD, of Goshen.
For Superintendent of the Poor, JAMES BOYL, of Warwick.
For Coroner, JOHN H. CHAPMAN, of Newburgh.
DR. THOMAS S. GILLSON, of Middletown.

CITY.

For Mayor, CHARLES L. ELWOOD.
For Alderman-at-Large, KESTER W. STAIR.
For City Treasurer, GEO. E. WALLACE.
For Assessor, JOHN B. LEEBON.
For Water Commissioner, EDMUND MILLEN.
For Board of Education, DR. DAVID B. SMILEY.
For Constables, GEO. H. CLARK, GEORGE W. VANKEU, EN.
Supervisor—JOHN A. WALLACE.
Alderman—ALEX. FINN.
Supervisor—JOHN B. GILES.
Alderman—LANSING J. COLE.
Supervisor—GEORGE W. GALLOWAY.
Alderman—FRANCIS M. BARNES.
Supervisor—JACOB O. AUSTIN.
Alderman—JAMES E. CAMPBELL.

Samuel D. Robertson's record during his many years of service in the Board of Supervisors is a guarantee that if elected to Congress he will ably and faithfully represent the district and be watchful of the people's interests. He merits and will receive a large vote, which will not be confined to his own party for hundreds of Republicans who know and appreciate his worth will cast their ballots for him on election day.

George E. Wallace, the Democratic candidate for city treasurer, ought to be elected by a large majority. When the war began and volunteers were called for, he gave up a good business position, rendered all domestic ties and entered his country's service, remaining with his command till after peace had been arranged and there seemed no possibility of active service. He was a good soldier and a popular officer who did all in his power to insure the comfort and well being of his men. He has the respect and esteem of all and is deserving of a very large vote.

One of the humors of the campaign is the attempt of the badly rattled though always esteemed Press to claim for the Republicans credit for the reduction in city taxes, which was made possible by the use of the excise fund in payment of the High School certificates of indebtedness. It is impossible to take the Press

contention seriously, but it is answered conclusively by the fact that while the Republicans were in full control of the city government they made no move toward lightening the burdens of the taxpayers; and it was not until after a Democratic majority had been elected to the Common Council that the proposition was made to secure legislation that would make the excise fund available in the financial emergency that confronted the city. It is, moreover, an undeniable fact, that the Republican machine leaders and the Republican Supervisors, who are ex officio members of the Board of Charities and the custodians of the excise fund, opposed the measure to just the extent that they dared; it is also true that secret efforts to kill the bill by delay were made at Albany, which failed simply because the men engaged in the job weakened when Mayor Mance and Alderman O'Neal visited the capital in the closing hours of the session and announced to Mr. Goodsell and Senator Lexow that they proposed to stay there till the bill was put through the Senate. The Republican record in regard to the excise money bill isn't one that will bear publicity. That party's real attitude toward this measure, which the people of Middletown look upon as one of the best and wisest ever enacted in the city's interest, is shown by its treatment of Mayor Mance, who, according to a high-up Republican leader, was refused a nomination because he "had played into the hands of the Democrats and helped them keep their promise to lower the taxes."

THE SIRDAR IN FRANCE.

Congratulated By the Geographical Society on His Remarkable Campaign.

MARSEILLES, Oct. 25.—General Lord Kitchener, of Khartoum, and Captain Baratier, bearer of Major Marchand's Fashoda report, arrived here from Alexandria, Egypt, to-day, and left for Paris on the same train.

Before the departure of the train a deputation from the Geographical Society of Marseilles, after congratulating Baratier, proceeded to General Kitchener's car, and there the spokesman of the French party expressed his admiration of the General's remarkable campaign and of his work in behalf of civilization, and thanked him for the courtesy he had extended to Marchand and his colleagues.

The General thanked his visitors warmly, and eulogized Marchand, whose expedition he said had excited the admiration of the whole world.

PEACE JUBILEE PARADE POSTPONED.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 26.—A downpour of rain began early this morning and consequently the peace jubilee committee announced the postponement of the civic day parade until Friday.

SIXTY JAPS DROWNED.

Kobe, Japan, Oct. 26.—The Japanese steamer Minagale was sunk, to-day, almost immediately after having been in collision with the Japanese steamer Kinshu-Maru. Sixty Japanese were drowned.

CAPTURED SPANISH SOLDIERS RELEASED.

MANILA, Oct. 26.—The American authorities have released some of the Spanish sailors captured during the war.

ROOSEVELT'S CAMPAIGN TOUR.

BUFFALO, Oct. 26.—Col. Roosevelt and party left here, this morning, for Niagara and Lockport, and will be in Rochester, to-morrow.

MINISTER'S RESIGNATION WITHDRAWN.

MADRID, Oct. 26.—Gen. Correa, Minister of War, has been induced to withdraw his resignation for the present in view of the difficulties confronting the country.

BAD WRECK ON THE ERIE.

A Rear End Collision of Freight Trains at Ridgewood Junction Blocked Both Tracks.

The Erie had another bad wreck at Ridgewood Junction, at 10 o'clock, this morning—a rear end freight collision. Both tracks were torn up, but the west-bound track was put in shape for use by 2:30 o'clock. At the present writing nothing is known of any fatalities.

No. 1 was sent west over the Northern Railroad and the Piermont branch, reaching the main line again at Suffern. No. 9 was annulled, and it was expected that No. 11 would also be.

No. 21, due here at 10:34, and the two Carbonate excursion trains had passed the Junction before the wreck occurred.

The Associated Press sends the following account of the accident:

New York, Oct. 26.—There was a rear end collision between two freight trains on the main line of the Erie Railroad at the cut south of the Ridgewood, N. J., depot, to-day. Six freight cars were derailed and an engine, tender and caboose were wrecked.

There is quite a grade near where the accident occurred. Both trains were on the same track and the one in front was being slowed to a siding. The engineer of the second train saw the danger signal and applied the brakes, but the track being slippery the locomotive did not slow down, but smashed into the caboose of the first train.

The last six cars of the train were thrown across the track and the engine of the second train and its tender were badly damaged. None were hurt, but travel on the road was delayed some time.

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LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—"McFadden's Row of Flats" at the Casino, next Friday evening.
—Thirty-five carloads of soldiers passed south over the West Shore road, Tuesday.
—The Argus is indebted to George S. Belding, florist, for a box of beautiful roses and carnations.
—Lovers of musical farce comedy should see "McFadden's Row of Flats" at the Casino, Friday evening.
—Fresh peanut brittle, cocoanut brittle and chewing taffy at Laskaris', 34 North street and 17 West Main street.
—Fine bon bons and chocolates at Laskaris' Palace Confectionery, 34 North street.
—"Shore Acres" will be the attraction at the Casino, next Monday evening, and it is safe to say that the Casino will be well filled.
—The foundations are being prepared for a new stable to be erected on the site occupied by DeKay's livery stable office on Canal street.

—A collection of \$1,760 was recently taken up in the Methodist Church at New City, Rockland county, and the debt on the church wiped out.
—The Anglo-Swiss Company has large quantities of Mack paving brick piled about the condenser which will be used in paving the driveways.

—A private progressive euchre party, which had been planned by Waalkill Engine Company for Monday, Oct. 23, has been postponed to Tuesday, November 1.

—A special meeting of Wm. Jackson Relief Corps will be held in its rooms, Thursday, Oct. 27, at 3 o'clock. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

—The Young People's Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a sociable, Friday evening, at the home of Mrs. Clarence H. Sweezy, 20 Wickham avenue.

—Mr. Gilmore, the owner of Meadowbrook farm, has purchased eighty-seven head of choice stock to replace the herd sold after the burning of his barns, some time ago.

—George W. Scott's livery stable in Poughkeepsie was burned, Monday night. Four horses perished in the flames and fifteen were saved. The loss is \$18,000; insurance \$6,000.

—The water was drawn from one of Norwich's reservoirs, Saturday, in order to give it a cleaning, and among the fish taken out was a German carp thirty-eight inches long which weighed thirty-one pounds.

—Gus Hill's "McFadden's Row of Flats" is booked for Friday evening, at the Casino, and will undoubtedly draw a crowded house. The play is said to be a very funny musical comedy, and one to dispel the blues.

—Archie Boyd as "Uncle Nat" in "Shore Acres" is simply immense. Mr. Boyd has been seen in that character several times at the Casino, and the merits of his acting need no comment. The play will be produced at the Casino next Monday evening.

—Harvey Wickham's concert for the Red Cross, promises to be a pronounced success, judging from the number of reserved seats already marked off at Hanford & Horton's. Dr. Jackson, the tenor, who will appear, comes highly recommended as one of the most popular vocalists of New York. Sitings will be fifty cents each.

PERSONAL.
—Mrs. Dwight Babcock's condition is somewhat improved, to-day.
—Floyd L. Truax is quite seriously ill at his home, 11 Oak street, from typhoid fever.
—Mrs. Herbert Sweezy, of Goshen, N. Y., was in this city, Tuesday, calling on friends.
—W. M. Tiel, the well known O. and W. excursion agent, is still confined to his home, with but a slight improvement noticeable.

—Mr. and Mrs. John R. Purcell returned from New York, Tuesday night. The latter's father, W. H. Broderick, is seriously ill of appendicitis.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Finan, of Port Jervis, who have been here since Sunday on a visit to Mrs. Finan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tierney, returned home, Tuesday night.

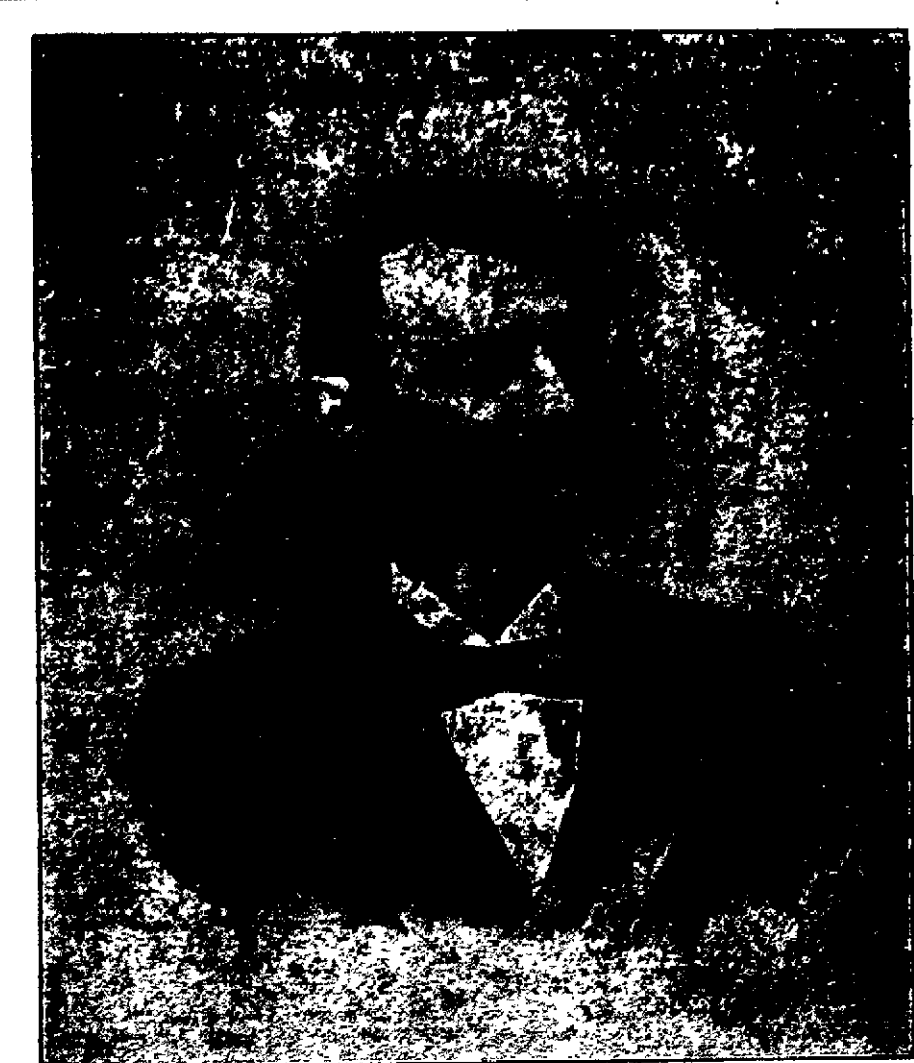
—Mrs. Horace McBride and daughter, Annie, who have been spending a couple of months with relatives and friends in this vicinity, will leave, this evening, for their home in Norfolk, Neb. Mrs. W. E. Mapes, of Norwells, will accompany them and remain as their guest for several weeks.

—Major Chase Discharged.
Maj. Chase has been honorably discharged from the First Regiment.

JUDGE VAN WYCK AT SYRACUSE
SYRACUSE, Oct. 26—Justice Van Wyck and party arrived here at 10:55 o'clock, this morning, from Rochester.

During the morning Judge Van Wyck was called on by all of the local Democratic political leaders who discussed the local situation with him.

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A Pleasant Entertainment, a Feast of Clams, Games and Tobacco and Pipes to Lull the Senses—Helped 250 Men to Pass a Pleasant Evening.

The stag smoker given by Lancelot Lodge, No. 169, Knights of Pythias, Tuesday night, in its handsome castle hall, on West Main street, was one of the most enjoyable affairs ever given by this organization.

About 250 well known people participated. Pinochle and whist were the features of the early evening, followed by a programme which was finished just as the 5,000 claims were pronounced properly steamed.

Chris. Berg's orchestra played several selections with good effect and Rev. Dr. Robinson, master of the famous Monaghan clan feasts, made a few remarks in his favorite characteristic vein which best appeals to men. He was frequently applauded.

Harry A. Fisher only needed a big dog at his feet and two tots on his back to have been mistaken for Channcy Olcott when he sang two selections which Channcy has made famous.

George Morgan gave some excellent ventriloquism and swallowed twenty-six inches of steel sword. He was roundly applauded.

August Pfaff, who has earned a reputation as a first class amateur in magic, performed several mystifying tricks in a manner which provoked applause.

The closing number on the programme was an "Irish turn" by Harry Mulford, and he made a genuine hit. His clog dancing was very well executed.

The clams were served in the banquet hall after Rev. Dr. Robinson had invoked the divine blessing. They were delicious, just the right size and cooked to perfection. The committee served them in generous quantities and awarded the favor for "greatest number of shucks" to "Shorty" Vaughn, the well known O. and W. conductor. John M. Wilson, who is also over six feet tall, was a close second.

The pipe smokers resumed their card games after the supper and sociability was kept up until a late hour.

The general committee was made up of the officers as follows: A. S. Reynolds, C. C.; Irving Barr, V. C.; Jerome Palmer, M. of W.; Henry Birtwistle, J. G.; DeWitt Morris, M. of A.; A. H. Reed, M. of F.; John Youngs, M. of E.; J. J. Hasbrouck, K. R. S.; John Miller, I. G.; C. T. Conkling, O. G.; and M. Bartholomew, Chas. Miller, Wm. Herman and Charles Kincaid.

Supper Committee—M. B. Van Fleet, O. M. Gregory, Wm. Remsen and Henry Birtwistle.

Entertainment Committee—Charles Sharpe, H. Birtwistle, Sr.

A STOLEN RING RECOVERED.

A prominent jeweler has back a valuable diamond by Gold Detective Work.

A prominent jeweler is felicitating himself on his shrewd detective work which resulted in the recovery of a valuable diamond ring stolen from his store by a well dressed woman of this city. She had the ring for two weeks, and when the case against her had been thoroughly worked up and she was accused of the theft, she weakened, surrendered the property and begged that she be not prosecuted.

Ensign and Mrs. Powelson Coming to This City.
Ensign Powelson continues to make rapid progress toward recovery from the injuries he sustained by falling through a hatchway on the St. Paul. As soon as he is able to travel he will come to this city with his bride and make a long visit at the home of his parents.

Cake Walkers and Minstrels to Visit the State Hospital.
Monaghan's cake walkers and minstrels will go to the State Hospital, to-night, and entertain Dr. Takott's large family. A special car will leave the Commercial at 6:55 and Monaghan's at 7 o'clock.

DEAD IN THE CAB.

An Erie Express Train Run for Many Miles With a Dead Man's Hand on the Throttle.

With its engineer dead in the cab, Erie express train 12, with 300 passengers on board, ran at full speed on the Susquehanna division, Tuesday morning, for many miles. The fireman, Walter Cowgill, busy at the furnace in the rear of the engine, did not notice that anything was amiss until the train was approaching the Susquehanna yard and then he missed the usual signals and observed that the train had not slowed down but was dashing along at the same high rate of speed as when sure of a clear track.

Realizing that something was wrong he climbed over to the engineer's cab and found the engineer, Henry Kinsley, of Susquehanna, dead with his skull crushed in and his head projecting from the cab.

The fireman slowed down the engine and when the station was reached the body was taken from the cab. The entire top of the skull was torn off and it supposed that he was killed by striking his head against a mail crane or a water crane.

HYMENEAL.

Evans—Youngs.
The wedding of Miss Gertrude, daughter of John Youngs, of Johnsons, and George Evans, of Westtown, will occur at 8 o'clock, to-night, at the bride's home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, of this city, will be among the guests.

Horabek—Brannin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Horabek went to Westcalong, Pa., to-day, to attend the wedding of the former's brother, James G. Horabek, of Port Jervis, with Miss Carrie May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brannin. The couple will be at home at No. 18 Main street, Port Jervis, after December 1.

Moore—Reilly.

The wedding of Miss Alice Reilly, formerly waitress in the officers' dining room at the State Hospital, and new of Wurtsboro, and Fred J. Moore, a milkman of this city, will occur in St. Joseph's Church, Wurtsboro, at 5 o'clock, to-day. The bridesmaid will be Miss Nellie Kirk, of the State Hospital corps of attendants, and the groomsmen will be the groom's brother.

ENVELOPED IN FLAMES.

An Acid Factory Workman Very Badly Burned.

From our U. S. Midland Correspondent.
George Hughes, a workman in the acid factory, at Cook's Falls, was badly burned, a few days ago, by his clothing taking fire. His fellow workmen saved his life, promptly tearing off the blazing garments.

The clothing of the men in these works becomes so saturated with the fumes that are generated profusely that when they do catch fire it is only by instant help from others that the man's life is oftentimes saved.

Browned in the Canal at Port Jervis.

Thomas Brastel, a carpenter, of Port Jervis, started along the towpath, Saturday evening, to go to his boarding house. He did not reach there, and when a package, he had been carrying, was seen floating in the canal, his friends feared he had been drowned. The canal was dragged, Tuesday, and late in the afternoon his body was recovered.

Clem Atkins at His Home in Liberty.

From the Liberty Gazette.
"Clem" Atkins, a member of the First Regiment now stationed at Honolulu, surprised his mother and sister in this village, Monday, by dropping in to take supper with them. "Clem" left camp about three weeks ago on sick leave, and at the expiration of his leave of absence will return to his regiment.

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AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN TOWN.

"Extraordinary Session" of the Police Court—Three Cases Engaged the Attention of His Honor—"Butty" Roberts Injured—Rev. W. E. Maison in Town.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—There was an "extraordinary session" at police court, last night. The case of Bodle vs. Nolan was first called. Somewhere down in the depths of the "Green," some time recently, a hardened youthful sinner known as "Squint" Nolan threw the biggest part of a brick at Annie Bodle. His aim was well directed and the missile made a painful indentation on the fair Annie's person. She made the charge of assault to some other her lacerated feelings. Lawyers Rorty and Burke, of Middletown, were present in Miss Bodle's behalf, while Counsellor W. H. Wyker appeared for the defendant. Nolan, himself, was not present, however, and as his whereabouts were somewhat of a mystery, the case was adjourned until next Monday evening. Then Grace Roberts and Carrie Youngs, two black amazons, were put under a bond to keep the peace. The complaint was brought by Mrs. Margaret DeGroat, whom they had threatened to annihilate. Grace Roberts was also arraigned for having broken the window and stolen the revolver from A. E. Potter's novelty store. She pleaded guilty to petit larceny and was given the alternative of paying a \$5 fine or going for twenty days to jail. William Smith, her father, promised to pay the fine and replace the window glass, and as Mr. Potter desired to be lenient with the girl, who was intoxicated at the time of the robbery, the complaint was dismissed. She claimed to have stolen the revolver to protect herself from the abuse of her husband, "Butty" Roberts. The connection of Frank Flynn with the case was not developed at the trial. Flynn is the individual with whom the gun was found when he came into Potter's store to buy cartridges to fit it shortly after the robbery occurred.

"Butty" Roberts, or Robinson, as he is more generally known, who is referred to in the foregoing article, was knocked from a moving coal train, Monday night, near Ryerson's Bridge, by a brakeman. He had boarded the train for the purpose, it is supposed, of stealing coal. He was badly injured on the back of his head by the blow given by the brakeman, and in falling struck upon the front side of his skull, which was likewise much injured.

—Rev. Wm. E. Maison and family arrived in town, Tuesday evening, from Washington, D., where Mr. Maison has been attending the Episcopal convention as delegate from Utah.

Dying in Sing Sing Prison.

John Karlson, who, in 1893, was sent to prison for life for the murder of Felix McCarthy, in a drunken fight near Vail's Gate, is dying of consumption in the Sing Sing prison hospital. He was convicted on the evidence of John Meches, a participant in the fight, and who got off with one year's sentence, although many thought he had more to do with the killing than Karlson. The men were all employed on the West Shore road, which was then being built.

Carroll Post, Port Jervis, Inspected by Major Sprout.

From the Port Jervis Gazette.
The regular annual inspection of Carroll Post, G. A. R., took place, Monday night, in their hall. Assistant Inspector Major E. L. Sprout, of Middletown, was present and inspected the post in a very able manner. He found the post in first-class condition in every respect, and complimented its officers and members on their good standing.

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THE PEACE JUBILEE

The Philadelphia Celebration Formally Opened.

A BRILLIANT NAVAL PARADE.

Commodore Philip, Captain Evans and Sigbee and Lieutenant Commander Wainwright Heroes of the Day—Long Reviews Ships.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—Philadelphia lifted its hand and doffed its hat to the naval heroes yesterday. Nominally it was the active opening of the peace jubilee. Actually it was a thunderous greeting of praise, welcome and thanks to a puissant armada and the men who swept it on to challenged victory. The most illustrious actors of the war, whose glorious end is the motive of the celebration, learned what their country thinks of them.

Sigbee, Philip, Evans, Wainwright—these were some of the men. The Texas, the Gloucester, the Winslow, the Mayflower—these were some of the ships.

The government was represented by Secretary of the Navy Long, the people by a throng that filled every bit of timber on either shore of the Delaware river and jammed every available craft to the point of danger. The main pageant was one of surpassing brilliancy and grandeur.

The series of ceremonies commemorating the triumph of American arms really began on Sunday with prayer and thanksgiving services in the churches. Yesterday's naval review, however, was the real opening of the festival, which will continue until Thursday night. It consisted in a procession of vessels around the anchored warships, but that bare statement conveys no idea of the demonstration.

The yacht May, with Secretary Long and the Washington party aboard, led the parade, the ships of the navy being anchored in single file in midstream, the line extending from Christian to Handover streets, a distance of three miles.

The Washington party, which consisted of Secretary Long, Miss Helen Long, Lieutenant W. H. Southernland and Private Secretary Finney, reached Broad Street station from Washington at 12:55 o'clock. They were joined there by Captain Robley D. Evans and Congressman Hilborn of California and the peace jubilee committee, waiting to escort them to the May. Lieutenant Southernland, who commanded the gunboat Eagle during the war and destroyed the big Spanish transatlantic liner Santo Domingo, accompanied Secretary Long in the capacity of naval aid.

It was half past 1 o'clock when the party reached the yacht. The little gun in the stern of the May bellowed a salute, and the secretary's colors broke from the maintop. The May then headed down the river, taking her place at the head of the procession. During the run down the river luncheon was served aboard the yacht to the party, including, besides those already named, Captain Nagashige Kashikabara of the Japanese cruiser Kasagi, Governor Hastings, Mayor Warwick, Congressmen McAleer, Harmer, Bingham, Adams, Young, Wagner, Butler and Loudenlager; United States Senator Penrose, Major General Snowden and the jubilee committee.

Toasts were drunk to the president of the United States, the emperor of Japan, the captain of the Kasagi, Secretary Long, Captain Evans, Governor Hastings and Mayor Warwick, but there was no speechmaking. Arrived off League Island, the southern extremity of the city, the May found the line of reviewing vessels in waiting. She promptly swung in front, and at 3 o'clock the parade began to move along the Jersey side of the anchored warships, which lay about 500 yards distant from each other in this order: Columbia, Mayflower, New Orleans, Texas, Marblehead, Dolphin, Topeka, Gloucester and Winslow. The Kasagi lay at the northern end of the line, off Cramps' shipyard, where she was recently built.

As the procession moved river and shore were one hating mass of color. All the warships were in full dress, flags flying from bow to stern, from masthead to masthead. Trailing along behind the May were vessels of every description—handsome yachts, big excursion steamers, tugs, barges, launches and even rowboats—all bravely decked in the national colors and puffing and shrieking their whistles like machine demons.

The Texas, the Gloucester and the Winslow received the greatest share of enthusiasm. As the May glided past the great battleship Commodore Philip and Captain Sigbee stood at attention with the other officers and men of the ship, the marines presented arms as the ship's band struck up "Hail to the Chief."

At 3:15 o'clock the start of the parade was given. It consisted of a procession which heaved in honor of Commander Wainwright, who stood on the bridge of the Gloucester and of the little torpedo boat Winslow which brought to the end of the line the Kansas's (2000) and men were in line for the Americans and saluted the secretary quite as well, but as he was at Armstrong's in England the salute was performed a silent one.

A thousand yards beyond the Kasagi the line of reviewing vessels swung round and proceeded down the river along the Pennsylvania shore. The trip down was merely a continuation of the enthusiasm and clamor, minus the runs of the warships. When the Texas was again reached, the May was brought to a standstill, and at the invitation of Commodore Philip and Captain Sigbee the party went over in launches to the battleship.

Here they were escorted below to the wardroom, where the commodore, captain and officers received the guests. After the exchange of informal greetings, Mayor Warwick proposed the health of Secretary Long and called upon him for a response. He did so very briefly, thanking the mayor for his words of welcome and Commodore Philip and Captain Sigbee for their courtesy to him and his guests. After referring to "the historic hospitality of Philadelphia, again illustrated by this magnificent jubilee," the secretary said, "If ever the navy was worthy of the nation it represents it is worthy of it today."

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Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Orange County will be held in their rooms in the county building, at Newburgh, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, at 2 o'clock P. M.

All persons having bills or claims of any kind against said county are hereby notified and are required to deposit the same, properly made out, itemized and verified according to law, in a receptacle provided for that purpose, in the County Clerk's office, on or before the third day of such meeting, in default thereof such bills or claims will not be audited at said annual meeting.

In order to secure the proper distribution of drafts for bills audited, claimants are required to endorse on their bills the name of the town in which they reside and their post office address.

Bills presented by Justices of the Peace, for services in criminal proceedings, must state fully the nature of the case, and be accompanied by the person or persons appearing or tried, so as to distinguish between towns and jurisdictions.

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THE CUBAN CONGRESS

General Garcia Seems to Be In Control.

A SENTIMENT AGAINST ANNEXATION.

Delegates Apparently Opposed to Disbanding the Army—Sanguilly, Delegate For Several Corps, Expresses American Cause.

SANTIAGO, Oct. 25.—The first session of the Cuban assembly was held Monday at Santa Cruz del Sur. A majority of the delegates to the military congress, each of the six army corps being represented by eight—the First and Second corps being stationed in the Orient district, the Third in Puerto Principe, the Fourth in Santa Clara, the Fifth in Matanzas and Havana and the Sixth in Pinar del Rio.

The session of the assembly was the appearance of General Calixto Garcia as one of the delegates from the Fifth army corps, a fact which practically renders him supreme at the assembly's sessions. His election to preside over the proceedings is considered a foregone conclusion, as it is conceded that he controls a majority of the delegates. The Céspedes faction is defeated. Its leaders now deny that they had any desire to discredit General Garcia, and the attempt to impeach him before the assembly will not probably be made.

The principal question for consideration will be the question of disbanding the army. It is thought the assembly will oppose disbanding until—in the words of one of the military delegates—"some assurance is received from President McKinley that he intends to observe the resolutions of the United States congress regarding the absolute freedom of Cuba."

It being a military assembly, the Annexation party has but a small representation. One proposition to come up for discussion is that the army should remain an armed force for the purpose of policing and garrisoning the island from the beginning of next year, when the United States troops are expected to leave. The assembly will appoint a committee to wait upon President McKinley regarding the status of Cuba, consisting probably of Garcia, Quesada and Farrago, and it is safe to assume that the assembly will remain in session and the army, in any event, not be disbanded until the report of the committee is received.

Owing to the scarcity of food and water, however, the assembly will probably move, after a few sessions, to Marianao. Another proposition to be brought before the delegates is the division of Cuba into four states, to be called Orient, now the province of Santiago de Cuba; Camaguey, now the province of Puerto Principe; Las Villas, now the province of Santa Clara, and Occident, now the provinces of Matanzas, Havana and Pinar del Rio. Between the proposed states of Camaguey and Las Villas would be a space of land which would be a special district or territory where the capital would be built, a new inland town for this specific purpose.

A delegate will propose the trial by court martial of all officers in the Cuban army who have permitted their men to disband.

In these ways and in others the assembly intends to show the world that it considers the Americans merely temporary visitors, who will evacuate the island shortly after the Spaniards.

SANGUILLY A DELEGATE.

Cuban Leader Advocates the American Cause.

HAVANA, Oct. 25.—Senator Manuel Sanguilly, the well known author and orator, who was a distinguished soldier in the ten years' war, will represent the Second, Third and Fifth corps of the Cuban army at the Cuban assembly, convened to consider the establishment of a permanent Cuban government. His choice by these troops, including the Holguin, Tunas, Bayamo, Manzanillo, Camaguey, Matanzas and Havana divisions, is highly significant as indicating the sentiment of a large number of Cubans now under arms.

Sanguilly, who is a Cuban of the Cubans and an extreme radical, has made several speeches of late, speeches that have caused a profound sensation, in which he has urged upon the Cubans the imperative necessity of placing full confidence in the United States government and has censured those who have shown distrust of the Americans. He has advocated the disbanding of the Cuban troops and their return to the arts of peace, dwelling long and earnestly upon the importance of the Cubans of securing the confidence of the United States. He even went so far as to declare that if the Cuban revolutionary leaders should assume a hostile attitude toward the Americans he would enter the ranks of those opposed to such a course. His selection at this juncture and in view of such sentiment indicates that a rational judgment is making headway in certain quarters.

Troops at Manila to Be Deported.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The following cable message from General Otis, dated Oct. 24, has been received at the war department:

"Manila, Oct. 24.—Spanish transport ship expected to arrive tomorrow from Barcelona wishes to transport to Spain 300 of the 1,100 sick Spanish prisoners of war now here. This would relieve situation. Shall permission be given?"
This message was answered in the affirmative.

Cincinnati Ball Team Going to Cuba.
CINCINNATI, Oct. 25.—If everything connects as intended, Manager Bancroft will repeat this winter his trip of 1879 to Cuba. Then he was backed by a medicine concern in Rochester, and this time, if he goes, he will be backed by one of the largest tobacco concerns in the United States. His plan is to organize a baseball team composed of the stars of the National league, play several games through the south during the holidays, landing in Havana Jan. 1, when the city is under American control, and play a series of games with the Cuban club.

Milwaukee in Wisconsin.
MADISON, Wis., Oct. 25.—A blizzard is raging here. The storm will do considerable damage to corn still in the field.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the number and location of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

- 1.—A. K. Ave., cor. 7th St., O & W. R. R.
- 2.—North street and Low avenue, hat shop.
- 3.—North street and West street, type shop.
- 4.—Railroad avenue and Montgomery street.
- 5.—Grand avenue and Prince street.
- 6.—Wilkinson avenue, corner Liberty street.
- 7.—West Main street and Wall street.
- 8.—North street, corner Wilkins avenue.
- 9.—James and Henry streets.
- 10.—Crosby and John streets, Erie crossing.
- 11.—Lakes avenue and West street.
- 12.—W. Main street, corner Montgomery street.
- 13.—State Hospital Gate.
- 14.—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
- 15.—Rear of State Hospital.
- 16.—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
- 17.—Rich and Sanford streets.
- 18.—Cass street, corner suffering and crying.
- 19.—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
- 20.—Fairview avenue and South street.
- 21.—Fulton street and East avenue.
- 22.—Academy avenue and Honston avenue.
- 23.—East Main street and Railroad avenue.
- 24.—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
- 25.—Academy avenue and Gearing street.
- 26.—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
- 27.—Grand street and Sprague avenues.
- 28.—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
- 29.—East Main street and West Orchard.
- 30.—Franklin Square.
- 31.—Run before a box number, denotes that a cart is being made.
- 32.—2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call.
- 33.—3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
- 34.—4 strokes of bell denotes recall, fire out.

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BASE BALL NEXT SEASON.

Orange-Wayne League Will Meet in Port Jervis Nov. 15.

A meeting of the Orange-Wayne Base Ball League will be held in Port Jervis, Tuesday, Nov. 15, at 2 p. m. Newburgh, Newton, Port Jervis, Honesdale, Carbondale and Scranton will be represented. A regular schedule will be arranged and three umpires appointed.

It is the intention next season to have the league governed by National League rules so far as practicable. All players will be compelled to sign a contract at a stipulated salary. Umpires will have the power to fine players and remove them from the game if necessary. The league will no doubt be a grand success, as each of the towns represented is large enough to support a first class team.

THE PINNEY HOUSE BURNED.

A Sullivan County Boarding House Destroyed by Fire.

The Pinney House, a large summer boarding house, situated a mile southeast of Liberty, was destroyed by fire, with nearly all its contents, Friday morning. The fire was discovered by Rev. Father McKeena, who was passing. It is supposed to have originated in a defective flue in the kitchen chimney. The house had accommodations for over 100 guests. Many improvements involving heavy expenditures had recently been made to the property and the furniture was nearly all new. The loss is about \$20,000 and the insurance but \$10,000.

BURGLARS AT NEW HAMPTON.

Two Business Places Entered Sunday Night—Little Booty Secured.

Burglars were at work in New Hampton, Sunday, the coal office of Wood & Horton being broken open and ransacked. Nothing was taken, however, but a rubber overcoat belonging to Wells Wood.

D. C. Pullis' tin shop was broken open and a quantity of tobacco taken.

Cheunango County Ordered to Build a New Jail.

The State Prison Commission, which for three successive years has called the attention of the Board of Supervisors of Cheunango county to the wretched condition of the county jail and recommended that it be repaired or a new one built, has now passed a resolution ordering and directing the Supervisors of that county to take steps at their annual meeting toward providing the county with a suitable jail.

The Cheunango county jail has for years been known as the worst one in the whole State.

Five Hundred Dollars to Run Van Wyck.

The Democrat who bet \$100 on Van Wyck's election, Monday, has \$500 more that he wants to bet on the Democratic candidate. He says that he has tried in vain to find any one willing to risk more money on Roosevelt, and in the hope that this may meet the eye of some Republican willing to back his party's candidate he asks the Argus to announce that he will bet \$500 or any part thereof even on Van Wyck. Further information can be had at this office.

Leased the Unadilla Valley Road.

The O. and W. Railroad Company has recently leased the Unadilla Valley railroad from New Berlin to Bridge-water, giving the company now a line to Bridge-water direct over its branch road from Sidney. This will be an important link in its system and open up a section of rich farming country.

Horses May Have Been Poisoned.

Patrick McMahon, who purchased the Haring farm on Rye Hill, Monroe, lost two good horses last week. The symptoms pointed strongly toward arsenical poisoning, but no reason is known why any one should do him such an injury.

Lost a Leg Under the Car Wheel.

Ernest Shenton, a fifteen-year-old Newburgh boy, lost a leg, Monday, at Stony Point, while attempting to board a swiftly moving West Shore train.

Obituary Notes.

—Frank C., the two months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hull, died, Tuesday, at their home near Mount Hope, of diphtheria.

—Francis S. Belknap, assistant teller in the Newburgh National Bank, and a member of Ruggold Bros. Company, of which he was secretary for many years, died, Tuesday, of consumption, aged thirty-three years.

Real Estate Sales.

—The farm property known as "High Barney," south of this city, was sold by Auctioneer Kaufman, Tuesday, to C. Macardell, for \$3,000.

—The Moses B. Finley farm was sold at foreclosure, Saturday, at Washingtonville. It was struck off to J. W. Gott, attorney for the mortgagee, for \$3,500, who in fifteen minutes afterwards sold it to Garrett Foster for \$3,900, a quick way of making \$400.

Your Best Interests.

Will be served by making sure of health. It will be a loss of time and money to be stricken with serious illness. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and purify your blood. In this way all germs of disease will be expelled, sickness and suffering will be avoided and your health will be preserved. Isn't this a wise course?

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Price 25 cents.

MRS. PINKHAM CONQUERS BACKACHE.

Four Women Who Owe Their Present Happiness to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—When I wrote to you last June, I was not able to do anything. I suffered with backache, headache, bearing-down pains, pains in my lower limbs, and ached all through my body. Menstruations were very painful. I was almost a skeleton. I followed your advice and now am well and fleshy, and able to do all my own housework. I took medicine from a physician for over a year, and it did not do me a particle of good. I would advise all suffering women to write to Mrs. Pinkham. She will answer all letters promptly, and tell them how to cure those aches and pains so common to women.—Mrs. C. L. WICK, Marquette, Texas.

I think it is my duty to write and let you know what your medicine has done for me. For two years I suffered with female weakness, bearing-down pains, headache, backache, and too frequent occurrences of the menses. I was always complaining. My husband urged me to try your Vegetable Compound, and I finally did. I have taken three bottles and it has made me feel like a different woman. I advise every woman that suffers to take your medicine and be cured.—Mrs. GABRIEL LIGHT, 613 S. Prince St., Lancaster, Pa.

I had suffered for over two years with backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness, falling and ulceration of the womb, leucorrhoea, and about every ill a woman could have. I had tried doctors, but with no success, and it seemed as though death was the only relief for me. After using five bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and four packages of Sanative Wash, I am well. Have had no more pain, womb trouble, backache or headache.—Mrs. CLAUDIA HALPIN, Cream Ridge, N. J.

Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was afflicted with female complaints so that I could hardly walk. My back ached terribly, in fact, I ached all over. Was not able to raise myself up some of the time. I had no appetite and was so nervous that I could hardly sleep. I have taken but two bottles of your Compound and feel like another person, can now eat and sleep to perfection, in fact, am perfectly well.—Mrs. SUZ McCULLOUGH, Adlai, W. Va.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; A Woman's Remedy for Woman's ills

OBITUARY.

James A. Nolan.

James A. Nolan, formerly of Port Jervis, died in New York, Monday night, from heart failure following a heavy cold. He was twenty-four years of age and went to New York, a month ago, to assist his brother, P. H. Nolan, proprietor of the *Liquor Dealers' Gazette*, in the management of the paper.

Sanford Johnson.

Sanford Johnson, a member of the Pioneer Band, died, this morning, at his home, 88 East avenue, aged twenty-two years. The cause of his death was typhoid pneumonia, and he had been sick three weeks.

He was a son of Capt. Joseph H. and Susan E. Johnson, who survive him as do his widow and two children.

Prompt Payment of Life Insurance by the A. L. W.

N. Schellberg, treasurer of Harmonia Council, American Legion of Honor, received, Tuesday, from the Supreme Treasurer of the order, a check for \$2,000 in payment of the late B. V. Wolf's insurance in the order. This is a very prompt payment and is another proof of the soundness of the order.

Carbondale Excursion Trains Did Not Stop

The Erie sent two Carbondale excursion trains through this city, to-day, without stopping, one of eight cars and one of four cars. It was supposed by some that the train would stop here and several came in over the Pine Bush train to go, but had to return home, disappointed.

Two Men Killed by the Fall of a Scaffold

A hemlock joist in a scaffold on the Fowler building, Walden, broke, Tuesday morning, and two men at work on it—Thomas S. Boyce, of Newburgh, and James Craig, of Walden—fell about forty feet, sustaining injuries which resulted in death soon afterwards.

Reason on this

You would call a man a fool to try to run an engine with a crooked piston-rod. Yet you are attempting that when you live with your system in a disordered condition. Whatever you may be mentally, you are physically a machine. Nothing interests you more than keeping it in order. If your digestion is out of condition, or your kidneys are disordered, use Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, a medicine prepared by a famous physician, and tested for years by thousands of persons, who all endorse it.

That Joyful Feeling

With the exhilarating sense of renewed health and strength and internal cleanliness, which follows the use of Syrup of Figs, is unknown to the few who have not progressed beyond the old-time medicines and the cheap substitutes sometimes offered but never accepted by the well-informed. Buy the genuine, Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it, promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Dandruff is Disease

The beginning of baldness is dandruff. Keep the scalp clean and promote the growth of the hair by the use of

Ayers Hair Vigor

Blacks and Whites Fight on Fulton Street.

There was a big fight at Fulton street and East avenue, Tuesday night, about 1 o'clock, between colored and white men, during which several of the combatants were badly battered. It happened just at the time when the officer on this beat was on another beat. No arrests were made.

Identified by Erie Detective Dwyer.

Erie Detective Dwyer has identified George Usher, under arrest on charges of burglary and larceny, as one of the gang who shot him recently at Vail's Gate.

A Broken Arm.

David C. Probert, the blacksmith at Deaton, was thrown from the back of his wagon, Tuesday afternoon, by the sudden starting of his horse, breaking his arm.

DIED.

JOHNSON—In this city, Oct. 25th, '98 Sanford Johnson, aged twenty years, five months, seventeen days.

Funeral services will be held at Bethel Church, Friday, at two-thirty o'clock. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. If advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

1 CENT for a Wire Egg Whip at DAYTON'S.

MRS. POTTS' Old brocade Flat Irons, three in a set, with holder and stand, 63c. at DAYTON'S.

HALF Price for saddleman's samples of Horse Blankets at DAYTON'S.

MAN to work in store and take care of horses. Apply by letter, stating salary. B. & Y. ARDS office.

A. L. Perschke having bills against Monaghan Home Co., which were returned for the Fair, will present them to Secretary G. R. Wengert, on or before Friday, Oct. 28th. 56d1t

THE Household assortment of Applique Work to be found in Middletown is at CHOSSE'S. Furniture, pillow shams, bureau scarfs, and table covers—19 West Main St. 4d1t

LADIES—Have you seen those Belt Buckles at CHOSSE'S? Just in and beauties they are, also a new Hat Pins and the very latest designs in Lace Pins. 56d1t

MISS MYERS' Dining Room will open Monday, Oct. 31st, at the Assembly Rooms. Afternoons 4 to 6, evenings 8 to 10. 5d1t

COAL! Chestnut \$4.10, pea \$3.00 at VANFLEET'S 4 West 56th St.

PHILIP A. RORTY, Collector at law 15 East Main street. Legal business of all kinds. Special attention to searching and collections. 56d1t

RUGS and Carpets woven to order Work done for and delivered First-class at low prices. In Nov. 1 G. W. OVERLOCKER, 217 E. Main St.

WANTED—One of bad health that R-L-P-A-N-S will cure. Send 5 cents to Ripley Chemical Co., New York, for 10 samples and 100 testimonials. 56d1t

THE Klondike isn't in it with the bargains in second-hand goods at LOEWEN'S Storage House, 21 Montague avenue. 7d1t

WANTED—A good steady girl to do housework and ironing. No need to Apply. FRANK BRIGHT'S Palace Hotel. 56d1t

FOR SALE—One ice box, seven feet square, and one money register cheap at 228 North street. 56d1t M. J. DUNHAM.

ROOMS to Let. Enquire of W. A. VAIL, 55 Mill street. 7d1t

TO LET—Nice Cottage on Harbison street, seven rooms, all modern improvements. 5d1t Enquire of F. D. YOUNGBLOOD.

FRED O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 90 North street. Telephone No. 2. Lady assistant. New York office 164 East 23d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

KAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, 42 West Main street, corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 50 Great Jones St., New York city. Lady assistant. Telephone Call No. 10.

JOHN DONOVAN, Undertaker and Embalmer 124 North street. Fine caskets to let. Telephone 15. Lady assistant. Open day and night.

I. D. OSTERHOUT, Undertaker and Embalmer, 44 James St., Middletown, N. Y. Or Hudson River or long distance telephone No. 291. Branch office at 9 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, 43 Great Jones St., New York. Lady assistant.

DOUGHERTY & CAREY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 56 Cottage street, Middletown. Telephone 42, night and day. New York office, 33 Great Jones street. Also long distance telephone. Lady assistant.

WANTED on bond and mortgage, \$1,000, property worth \$2,000. All modern improvements. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, Rooms 5 and 6 Time a Building, City street.

Bought a Valuable Berkshire Boar from Hood Farm.

H. Powell Ramsdell, of Salisbury Mills, has recently purchased from Hood Farm, Lowell, Mass., a valuable Berkshire boar by Bigdell, of Hood Farm, and from the sow Poetess Beauty, II, of Hood Farm. Bigdell is by the great Duke III, of Hood Farm, that has been shown at numerous fairs, and has never been beaten in the show ring. Poetess Beauty is from imported stock. Mr. Ramsdell has certainly secured a prize and great improvement in pig stock may be expected as a result of his purchase. The Hood Farm herd includes some of the greatest Berkshires in the country.

Will Quaid as a Lecturer.

Rough Rider Will Quaid, Democratic candidate for Senator, lectured, last night, in the chapel of the Reformed Church, Newburgh, for the benefit of Ellis Post Woman's Relief Corps. His subject was experiences in the Santiago campaign. He spoke most interestingly and with most becoming modesty made only incidental references to his own part in the battle of San Juan hill.

A Very Noticeable Family Party.

Two men drunk, accompanied or rather guided by two women, one evidently a mother-in-law, the other a wife with a nicely dressed boy of four years in her arms, passed through the streets, to-day, attracting much attention. They finally got into their family wagon and drove away.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. All drugists.

FOR SALE—Sweepstakes Stallion, sire Sweepstakes, dam Kickerbocker, grand dam Black Harry Cleo. Foaled July 25d, '92. There is no better young horse in New York State for breeding. Will be sold very cheap. Call on or address: M. J. DUNHAM or M. R. VANFLEET, Middletown, N. Y. 15d1t

ALL THE DESIRABLE STYLES FOR FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY AT

MISS EMMA E. KORN'S, 13 MULBERRY ST., NEXT TO BAPTIST CHURCH.

STAMPING DONE.

5 Cents a Pound

BEST

Granulated Sugar.

SLOAT'S

CASH STORE

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR GREAT STOCK?

If not, you have missed seeing the best assorted stock of dry goods in the city. Our counters and shelves are crowded with hundreds of bargains of seasonable goods. Buying and selling for spot cash, as we do, is the reason we can offer from week to week such remarkable values. The right goods at the right prices, at the right time is one of the reasons our store is always crowded with satisfied customers. Just now we offer

Black Dress Goods.

38-inches Black Brilliantine, fine quality, 33c a yard. 46-inch pure Mohair Black Brilliantine, value 75c., at 50c. 38-inch all wool Black Figured Dress Goods, sold by all for 50c., here at 40c. 46-inch black seeded all wool Storm Serge, a new novelty, 50c a yard. 46-inch all wool black Cravenet Serge, very fine, 69c a yard. 50-inch all wool black Surah Serge, a decided bargain, 49c a yard.

Colored Dress Goods and Silks.

Ladies' all wool Dress Goods, in a great variety of styles, 25c a yard. Novelty Suitings, in all the new combination of colorings, 39c a yard. 38-inch all wool Covert Cloth, all the new shades, 50c a yard. 27-inch plain Jap. Silk, in all the evening shades and black, 49c a yard. Changeable Taffeta Silk, in new colorings, 59c a yard. 24-inch black figured Taffeta Silk, real value \$1, this lot 69c a yard. 24-inch plain black Taffeta Silk, fine for shirt waists, 69c a yard.

Fine Bedding.

We have the best stock of this class of goods in the city. Not trash, but goods we can warrant. Good full size Cotton Blankets, white or grey, 49c a pair. Extra heavy fleeced White Blankets, look like wool but are cotton, 10-4, 98c.; 11-4, \$1.25 a pair. Above this price we have some of the best values ever shown by any firm in cotton warp and all wool Blankets at \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98, \$5.98. Comfortables—Four separate bargains at 98c., \$1.29, \$1.39, \$1.48, filled with pure white cotton. White Bed Spreads at 49, 69, 98c., \$1.19. Pillow Cases, special, 12c each, \$1.25 a dozen. Sheets 40, 44, 46c., fine goods.

Ladies' Separate Skirts.

Our goods are the best made in the market, perfect fitting, and at the prices quoted are as cheap as you could buy the material for, not counting the making. Ladies' Figured Black Skirts, warranted fast black, \$1.48. Ladies' plain and figured Brilliantine Skirts, lined and interlined, \$2.98. All wool Serge or Cheviot Plain Skirts \$3.68. Flounced Skirts, made from the same goods, \$3.98. Black figured all silk Skirts \$4.98. Black figured all wool Crepon Skirts, well worth \$7, for \$4.98.

SOMETHING NEW!

This time it is fancy
Perca or Near-Silk Underskirts and Corsets to Match.

Skirts \$1.69. Corsets 59c. One of the handomest novelties ever gotten out.

Also a full line of

PLAIN BLACK SATEN AND FANCY NEAR-SILK UNDERSKIRTS FROM 98c. TO \$3.68.

The above goods are made by a celebrated corset manufacturer. They look like silk, cost much less. The corsets are perfect fitting, come in sizes 18 to 26. The skirts are corded, with corset bones, and warranted to last and hold their shape as long as the cloth lasts. They are the best goods in the market and cost no more than ordinary goods. Call and see them. Goods shown with pleasure, whether you buy or not.

HART DAVIS, 45 NORTH STREET.

Assessment Collector's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the inhabitants of the city of Middletown, N. Y., who are assessable on the following improvements, to wit: Bonnell street and Chestnut street sewer, the Depot street brick pavement, the Center street brick pavement, the Wickham Avenue brick pavement, East Main street sewer from Washington street, East Main street brick pavement, North street sewer extension and Sprague Avenue sewer, that the undersigned, Collector of Assessments, is and for said city, has received the warrants for the collection of assessments now due on said improvements, and will attend at the City Clerk's office, Times Building, corner of King and Center streets, in said city, on each working day of the week (Saturday afternoons and holidays excepted), for thirty consecutive days from Oct. 25th, 1898, until Nov. 25th, 1898, inclusive, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving payment of said assessments without fee. On and after Nov. 25th, 1898, five cents on every dollar due will be collected, and eight per cent. interest, on a sum penalty will be collected on all sums of assessments remaining unpaid Nov. 25th, 1898, which have remained unpaid for the term of six months from the date of the original collection of the assessment. No fee or interest will be collected prior to Nov. 25th, 1898.

50 TUBS DAIRY BUTTER

AT

Lowest Market Prices.

5c A POUND GRANULATED SUGAR

C. N. PRADMORE & SON.

ON Wednesday, Oct. 13th, we will have our regular fall opening of trimmed millinery, to which every one interested is most cordially invited. In style, quality, price and assortment goods will speak for themselves, whether in trimmed or untrimmed hats, bonnets, feathers, ornaments or other material. All marked in plain figures at the lowest prices for like quality, no matter where found.

MES. H. W. BUSH, No. 144 North street.

WATER TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that water taxes for the six months beginning Nov. 1st, 1898, will be due and payable Nov. 1st, 1898, and will be received for 30 days thereafter, without other or further notice.

By order of Board of Water Commissioners. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Clerk.

75d1t

HOW DOES THIS STRIKE YOU?

Lowell Extra Super Ingrains 55 Cts. a Yard.

These are new goods just received, and the best Ingrain Carpet in the market. The price is low and for cash. This sale is for the benefit of the cash buyer.

MATTHEWS & CO., North and Roberts Sts., Middletown.

Ketcham & Behme, 15 Montgomery St.

TELEPHONE CALL 374.

JOS. VUOLO, 21 Fulton street—Full line of fine shoes. Ladies' shoes, Good pair well, \$1.38. Men's good working shoes \$1.25. Best fine shoes \$1.50 to \$2. Repairing neatly done at very reasonable prices. Shoes made to order, perfect fit. Best leather 18 and 25c per pound. Shoemakers' materials of all kinds. Present to every customer. 488mOct26 NO. 21 FULTON STREET.